



ROAD CLOSURES & TRAFFIC REPORTS

Beginning the week of August 21, 2023

You can view the sweeping map at:

<https://pocatello.gov/DocumentCenter/View/654/>

STREET OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT

SWEEPING

Street sweepers are currently performing their regular sweeping schedule.

- Monday: Northend
- Tuesday: East Side
- Wednesday: Fairway
- Thursday: West Side

MICRO SEAL

Valley Slurry Seal will be micro sealing the streets as listed below. Flaggers will be present to direct traffic and lanes/roads will be closed as work is performed, with restricted access to residents. There will be no parking allowed on these streets from 6:30 AM – 5 PM or until work is completed. Vehicles parked on the street will be towed to the nearest side street. Residents are asked to clear the road in front of their house of any obstructions (i.e. basketball hoops, garbage containers, etc.) The schedule may be changed due to unforeseen circumstances such as weather or breakdowns. Motorists are advised to use alternate routes and expect delays in the work areas.

Monday, August 21, 2023:

- Johnny Creek Rd (Huntington Dr to EOP (south))
- Johnny Creek Rd (Kim Dr to Huntington Dr)
- Johnny Creek Rd (Wild Mountain Dr to Kim Dr)
- Johnny Creek Rd (Bannock Hwy to Wild Mountain Dr)

Wednesday, August 23, 2023:

- American Rd (Buckskin Rd to Barton Rd)
- Lott Rd (EOP (west) to Pole Line Rd)
- Chestnut Ln (EOP to Driftwood)

Tuesday, August 22, 2023:

- S 2nd Ave (Kirkham to Fredregill)
- Freeman Ln (EOP (south) to Pocatello Creek Rd)

Thursday, August 24, 2023:

- Buckskin Rd (City Limits to Alvin Ricken Dr)

Thursday & Friday, August 24 & 25, 2023:

- Alvin Ricken Dr (Terry St (Buckskin Rd) to Barton Rd)

PATCHING

The Street Operations crew will be patching potholes and curblines throughout the city in preparation for upcoming pavement management projects. This may require intermittent lane closures and possible temporary road closures as work is performed. Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in these areas.

PAVEMENT MARKINGS

Beginning Monday, May 22, 2023, the Traffic Operations crew will begin repainting crosswalks and arrows throughout the City. The work will continue for the remainder of the season. There will be intermittent lane closures while crews are painting. Drivers are advised to watch for traffic control to stay safe and avoid driving through fresh paint. Please expect delays while work is being performed.

➔ WATER DEPARTMENT

WATER MAINLINE REPLACEMENT – CHAPEL, MEADOWBROOK, AND HILINE

Beginning Monday, August 21, 2023, crews from the City of Pocatello Water Department will be replacing the water mainline on Chapel, Meadowbrook, and Hiline. The project will take approximately six weeks to complete. The project will start at the intersection of Hiline and Meadowbrook, and will continue down Chapel Rd., to be completed at the intersection of Chapel and Yellowstone. Crews will work between the hours of 6:30 AM to approximately 5:00 PM, Monday through Thursday. During the project, access to the construction zone will be restricted and sections of the street will be completely closed while workers are digging. Every effort will be made to provide local access to the area when possible. Parking will also be restricted in the construction zone and residents are asked to park all vehicles away from the area during working hours. At the close of each day, access will be restored to all properties.

Night Work: For one day only, crews will work throughout the night at the intersection of Hiline and Meadowbrook, starting Wednesday August 23rd from 9:00 PM to 7:00 AM Thursday morning August 24th.

WATER POLLUTION CONTROL

SEWER MAINLINE MAINTENANCE

Crews will be jetting and cleaning sewer mainlines throughout the city. Motorists may experience delays or lane closures while crews are performing the work.

➔ IDAHO TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

I-86/I-15 SYSTEM INTERCHANGE PROJECT

Beginning Wednesday, August 10, 2022, Chubbuck Rd. will be closed between Pleasant View Dr. and Fairgrounds Rd. as part of the I-86/I-15 System Interchange project. This portion of Chubbuck Rd. will remain closed until Fall 2024 for roadway and bridge construction activities. A detour directing traffic around the closure via New Day Parkway/Northgate Parkway is in operation. Please visit <https://itdprojects.org/projects/i-86-i-15-system-interchange/> for more information.

ITD's contractor will be placing girders on a new northbound I-15 bridge over the ramp to I-86 westbound. To accomplish this, we will need to close the ramp for three days. The detour for this closure will be identical to the one used last year to reconstruct this ramp (through the Northgate Interchange to I-86 southbound). Here are the details:

- I-15 Northbound to I-86 Westbound Ramp Closure
 - NN ramp daytime closure from 6:30 AM to 6:00 PM on these three dates: 08/17/23; 08/21/23; 08/22/23
 - NW ramp will be closed with affected traffic detoured to the Northgate Interchange
 - Girder erection will occur over the closed ramp lane
 - Girders to be delivered on the closed ramp; the ramp closure will be temporarily opened for girder delivery only
 - There will also be rolling slowdowns in this area to allow the steel girders to be delivered to the project from 08/07/2023 to 08/15/2023, but no other closures or detours are planned for this work.

➔ CONTRACTORS

SUNROC CORPORATION – HAWTHORNE RD. & W. QUINN RD.

The intersection of Hawthorne Rd. and W. Quinn Rd was reopened to the public on Wednesday, August 9. Be advised that there may still be intermittent lane closures and use caution as it is operating as an all way stop until the signal poles can be installed in the spring of 2024. Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in the area.

AMERIGO & A+ CONTRACTORS – S. JOHNSON AVE.

Beginning Monday, August 21, 2023 through Saturday, August 26, 2023, Amerigo and A+ Contractors will be repairing a sewer line on S. Johnson Ave., which will be closed to thru traffic from W. Benton St. to W. Halliday St. Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in the area.

SCHNABEL ENGINEERING – W. BENTON ST.

Beginning Monday, August 21, 2023 through Wednesday, August 23, 2023, Schnabel Engineering will be performing a geotechnical boring survey between the hours of 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM on W. Benton St. at S. Hayes Ave. between S. Garfield Ave. and S. Grant Ave. There will be temporary lane closures on the westbound lane of W. Benton St. Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in the area.

D CO CONCRETE LLC – S. 5TH AVE.

Beginning Monday, July 10, 2023 through Friday, August 25, 2023, D Co Concrete will be working on the S. 5th Ave. safety improvements project. There will be temporary road closures on the east lane of S. 5th Ave. from the S. 5th Ave. exit to Jason Ave. Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in the area.

DASCO OF IDAHO – E. LANDER ST.

Beginning Monday, July 31, 2023 through Thursday, August 31, 2023, Dasco of Idaho will be hanging fiber on existing poles along E. Lander St. There will be temporary road closures on E. Lander St. from N. 5th Ave. to N. 9th Ave. Once a block is completed crews will reopen that section and move to the next block. Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in the area.

➔ EVENTS

POCATELLO'S ANNUAL GREEK FESTIVAL / BLOCK PARTY – N. 5TH AVE. & WYETH ST.

Assumption Church is hosting its Annual Greek Festival on Saturday, August 26, 2023 from 11 AM -7 PM. The event will take place on Assumption Church grounds. E. Wyeth St will be closed between N. 5th Ave. and N. 6th Ave. Enjoy good Greek food, good wine, and good company! Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in the area.

REVIVE @ 5

The Bannock Civitan Club is hosting “Revive @ 5” summer concerts every Wednesday from 5-8 PM beginning June 7, 2023 through August 30, 2023. The event is located at the 100 block of S. Garfield Ave. at Lookout Point near the Marshall Public Library. This area will be closed during the above referenced times. Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in the area.

POCATELLO FOOD TRUCK ROUND UP

Historic Downtown Pocatello is hosting “Food Truck Round Up” every Monday from 2-9 PM beginning May 8, 2023 through September 25, 2023. The event is located at the 100 block of S. Garfield Ave. in front of the Marshall Public Library. This area will be closed during the above referenced times. Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in these areas.

PORTNEUF VALLEY FARMERS MARKET

Historic Downtown Pocatello is hosting the “Portneuf Valley Farmers Market” every Saturday from 7-2 PM beginning May 6, 2023 through October 28, 2023. The event is located at the 100 block of S. Garfield Ave. in front of the Marshall Public Library. This area will be closed during the above referenced times. Motorists are advised to use caution and expect delays in the area.